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Via Certified United States Mail, Return Receipt Requested

December 7, 2007

The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary, Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street SW
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

**Re: Finance Docket No 35087, Canadian National Railway
Company and Grand Truck Corporation – Control – EJ&E
West Company**


Dear Secretary Williams.

This letter will serve as our notice of intent for the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) to participate in the above-referenced proceedings as a Party of Record. We also request that IDOT be added to the service list to receive copies of all motions, pleadings, correspondence and other filings made in connection with the above-referenced proceeding at the following address:

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If you need additional information, please contact me at 312-793-2116.

Sincerely,


Joseph P. Clary
Director

cc Service List Parties
Milton Sees, Secretary, Illinois Department of Transportation
George Weber, Railroads Bureau, Illinois Department of Transportation